

Stone Bank Middle School Independent (D.E.A.R.) Reading Contract (Grades 6-8)

Books & Company Reading Goal:

Independent Reading Goal for all middle school students is to earn a coupon for 15% off the purchase of one book at Books & Company in Oconomowoc if they complete all outlined reading goals listed below.

Student Goals:

- Students should be reading at home every day (15 minutes a day, 6 days a week)
- Students should complete reading spreadsheet / log and return to teacher (electronic copy located on Edmodo).
- Students should talk about what they have read with their parents before parents sign this sheet.

Parent Goals:

- Parents should encourage home reading
- Parents should allow students to select their own books
- Parents should encourage kids to read independently (help guide them to a specific opportunity for independent learning {family reading time, etc.}).
- Parents should model good reading habits.
- Parents should talk to their kids about what they are reading.

Teacher Goals:

- Teachers should support home reading efforts
- Teachers should teach children to choose appropriate/enjoyable books
- Teachers should hold kids accountable for home reading
- Teachers should recommend titles to students and parents

Thank you to Lisa B @ Books & Company for her commitment and support encouraging Stone Bank Students to read independently. Your generosity is appreciated!